

**Table 31. Annual Shipments of Solar Thermal Collectors by Type , 1996-2005**  
(Thousand Square Feet)

Year	Low-Temperature		Medium-Temperature		High-Temperature Total Shipments <sup>a, c</sup>
	Total Shipments <sup>a, b</sup>	Average per Manufacturer	Total Shipments <sup>a</sup>	Average per Manufacturer	
1996	6,821	487	785	41	10
1997	7,524	579	606	29	7
1998	7,292	607	443	23	21
1999	8,152	627	427	21	4
2000	7,948	723	400	25	5
2001	10,919	1,092	268	16	2
2002	11,126	856	535	31	2
2003	10,877	906	560	33	7
2004 <sup>p</sup>	13,608	1,512	506	30	0
2005 <sup>p</sup>	15,224	1,522	702	41	115

<sup>a</sup> Includes imputation of shipment data to account for nonrespondents.

<sup>b</sup> Includes shipments of solar thermal collectors to the government, including some military, but excluding space applications.

<sup>c</sup> For high-temperature collectors, average annual shipments per manufacturer are not disclosed.

P = Preliminary.

Source: Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-63A, "Annual Solar Thermal Collector Manufacturers Survey."